

28. (New) The assembly of Claim 19 wherein said device is configured to be removably secured to the container.

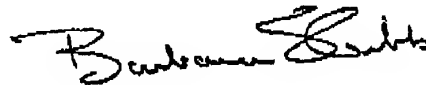
29. (New) The device of Claim 1, wherein said device is configured to be removably secured to a container holding said reservoir solution.

REMARKS

Applicants have amended claim 1 and added new claims 19-29. Basis for the amendment and new claims can be found throughout the specification, drawings and originally filed claims, particularly page 9, paragraph 55. Claims 6-13 have been canceled. Applicants reserve the right to prosecute the subject matter of the canceled claims at a latter time.

Applicants respectfully submit that the claims now stand ready and in condition for allowance and such allowance is courteously solicited. Should the Examiner have any questions or wish to further discuss this matter, it is requested that the undersigned attorney be contacted at (317) 231-7244.

Respectfully submitted



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Appendix to Amendment
Marked-Up Version of Rewritten Claims Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.121(c)(1)(ii)
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1. (Amended) A device for kinetically controlling the rate of vapor diffusion during crystal growth [comprising], said device having defined therein discrete diffusion pathways, wherein said pathways [affect] control the vapor diffusion rate between a crystal growth solution and a reservoir solution.